

NEWSPAPER ABSTRACTS  
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"THE BANNER"  
Abbeville, South Carolina for  
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NEWSPAPER Issue of FEBRUARY 24, 1847

MARRIAGES

Married on the evening of the 17th inst. by the Rev. F.G. Thomas, Mr. Wm. A. SWIFT of Elberton, Georgia to Miss Nancy J. KELLER of this District.

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ABBEVILLE SHERIFF'S SALE for March 1847

By virtue of sundry Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, the following property will be sold at the Abbeville Court House on the first Monday in March, next:

1 tract of land in the district aforesaid, bounded by the Hon. D.L. WARDLAW on Little River, T.P. HUGER, Wm. H. McCRAW and Edmond TILMAN, containing 1583 acres, more or less. This land will be sold in four separate tracts. Also, about 30 negroes amongst which are Carpenters, a good Blacksmith, a good House Servant and several prime Field Hands.

5 negroes, Eben, Sam, Jim, Adaline and Betsey; 2 wagons, 1 ox cart, 1 carry log, 3 oxen, 2 horses, levied on as the property of B. M. McFARLIN, will be sold on Friday the 5th of March next. Also, cattle, hogs, corn, fodder, 1 Still and stands, 1 lot of lumber, household and kitchen furniture.

1 negro boy Tom, levied on as the property of Edward COLLIER.

A.C. Hawthorne, Sheriff, Abbeville District, Feb. 8, 1847

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CITATION

South Carolina, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, Mary A. CHEATHAM has applied to grant her Letters of Administration on the estate of her dec'd husband, Milton CHEATHAM. This is therefore to

cite all kindred and creditors of said dec'd to appear in the Court of Ordinary on Tuesday the 2nd of March next to show cause why said Administration should not be granted. This 17th of Feb. 1847. D. Lesly, Ord'y

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

H.H. TOWNS, applicant, vs. J.W. PRATHER and others

PARTITION

It appearing that Elijah ROBERTS, one of the Defendants in this case, resides beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that he appear and object to the said division or sale of the Real Estate of Betsy ROBERTS, dec'd, on or before the 20th day of May 1847, or his consent to the same will be entered of record. Feb. 24, 1847. D. Lesly, Ordinary

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to the creditors and debtors of the Estate of Landy G. SHOEMAKER, dec'd, to present their demands and make payment to the administrator, as the assets of the estate will be entirely insufficient to pay all. The estate will be closed in the Court of Ordinary on the 8th of April 1847. J.G. CANNON, Administrator, Jan. 8, 1847

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Elihu BAIRD, deceased

The creditors of Elihu BAIRD, dec'd, will take notice that I will proceed to settle up the estate on the third Monday in May next and the creditors will present all their demands on or before that time, as the Estate will be insolvent and can only pay a part. On that day it will be apportioned before the Court of Ordinary of Abbeville District. John BASKIN, Administrator, Feb. 10, 1847

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Wm. ALEXANDER, deceased

Notice is hereby given to the creditors and debtors of the Estate of William ALEXANDER, dec'd, to present their demands and make payments to the Administrator, as the estate will not be able to pay all the demands against it. It will be closed in the Court of Ordinary on the first of May. Arch'd KENNEDY, Administrator, Feb. 17, 1847

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#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of John GLASGOW, deceased

All persons indebted to the estate of John GLASGOW, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having demands will present them property attested, by the first of March, as it is desirous that the estate should be settled by that time. R.A. MARTIN, Executor, Feb. 17, 1847

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#### NOTICE TO ABSENT LEGATEES

The children of Margaret BROWN, deceased, Legatees of Samuel MILLER, dec'd, are notified that their Legacy in money is ready for them and deposited with the Ordinary of Abbeville District, S.C. A.H. MILLER, Executor, Jan. 27, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Equity

Wiley PULLIM and others vs. Thomas BYRD and others

Bill for Injunction

It appearing that Frances MITCHELL, Anna COOPER, John PULLIM, Zachariah PULLIM, Robert PULLIM, Harriet WARE and James WARE her husband, Caroline STEWART and Mark T. STEWART her husband, Agrippa GOLSTON, Zachariah GOLSTON, Burrell BALL, Parks BALL, Lewis BALL, Elizabeth WARDLAW and her husband Joseph WARDLAW, Richard PULLIM, William PULLIM, Sarah CHRISTOPHER and her husband William CHRISTOPHER, and Elizabeth DOBBS, the defendants in the above stated case, reside beyond the limits of this State. It is ordered that they do appear, plead, answer or demur to the said Bill within three months from the publication hereof, or the same will be taken Pro Confesso against them. H.A. Jones, C.E.A.D., Jan. 25, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Notice, In the matter of John CALVERT's Will

Whereas, Silas RAY and wife, James SHILLITO and wife and John DAVIS, some of the next of kin of the said John CALVERT, deceased, have this day filed their notice in Ordinary Court requiring the paper admitted to probate in common form in said court, to be proven in "due form of law." This is therefore to cite Milly PATTERSON and Mason CALVERT, who are said to be absent and without the limits of this State, who may be entitled to distribution of said Estate, to be and appear in the Court of Ordinary to be held on or before the third Monday in April 1847 at the Abbeville courthouse, and plead thereto, at which time I shall hear and pronounce for or against the validity of the claim. David Lesly, Ordinary, Jan. 12, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Common Pleas

Benjamin F. SPIKES, who has been arrested and is now confined within the bounds of the jail of Abbeville District, by virtue of a Writ of Capias Ad Satisfaciendum at the suit of Wade S. COTHRAN and James SPROUL, having filed his petition with a schedule, on oath, of his whole estate and effects, for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly, commonly called "The Insolvent Debtors Act".

Public notice is hereby given that the petition of the said Benjamin F. SPIKES will be heard and considered in the Court of Common Pleas to be held at Abbeville District in the Abbeville court house on the third Monday of October next, or such other day thereafter as said Court may order; and all creditors of the said Benjamin F. Spikes are hereby summoned to appear then and there, in the said Court, to show cause, if any they can, why the benefit of the Acts aforesaid should not be granted to the said Benjamin F. Spikes. J.F. Livingston, Clerk, Dec. 26, 1846

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Common Pleas

Allen BARKSDALE, who has been arrested and is now confined within the bounds of the jail of Abbeville District, by virtue of a Writ of Capias Ad Satisfaciendum at the suit of Charles CARR, having filed his petition with a

schedule, on oath, of his whole estate and effects, for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly, commonly called "The Insolvent Debtors Act".

Public notice is hereby given that the petition of the said Allen BARKSDALE will be heard and considered in the Court of Common Pleas to be held at Abbeville District in the Abbeville court house on the third day of March next, or such other day thereafter as said Court may order; and all creditors of the said Allen BARKSDALE are hereby summoned to appear then and there, in the said Court, to show cause, if any they can, why the benefit of the Acts aforesaid should not be granted to the said Allen BARKSDALE. J.F. Livingston, Clerk, Dec. 8, 1846

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NOTE: The name of the newspaper for Abbeville, S.C. was changed to "The Abbeville Banner" on March 3, 1847.

NEWSPAPER Issue of "The Abbeville Banner", Abbeville, S.C. for MARCH 3, 1847

#### MARRIAGES

Married on Thursday the twenty-fifth inst., Mr. James Y. SITTON of Pendleton to Miss Harriet L. DAVIS of this District.

On Thursday evening the 25th ult., Mr. R.B. McADAMS dissolved his copartnership with the Bachelors and joined himself in nuptial ties with Miss Eliza Ann HALL, eldest daughter of Robert O. HALL of this District, solemnized by Rev. A. Rice.

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OBITUARY

DIED, on the 20th of February at the residence of her husband Mr. Thomas J. DOUGLASS, Mrs. Matilda Dilwith DOUGLASS, in the 34th year of her age. She was for ten years a member of the Methodist church.

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CITATION

State of South Carolina, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, A.J. WEEMS has applied for Letters of Administration on the estate of Agnes E. PAUL, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said dec'd to appear on the 12th day of March 1847 at Abbeville

courthouse, to show cause why said Administration should not be granted.  
This 26th of Feb. 1847. David Lesly, Ordinary

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

John LIPFORD vs. Ann LIPFORD and others

PARTITION

It appearing from the petition of John LIPFORD, that James LIPFORD, Jackson LINDSEY and wife Mary, two of the defendants in this case, reside without the limits of this State. It is ordered that they do appear and object to the division of the Real Estate of Edward LIPFORD, dec'd, on or before the 20th day of May 1847, or their consent to the same will be entered on record. D. Lesly, Ordinary. Feb. 20, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

J.W.H. JOHNSON and wife, vs. T.R. PUCKETT

PARTITION

It appearing by affidavit that W.W. PUCKETT, R.S. PUCKETT and Thomas ABERCROMBIE and the children of Mary ABERCROMBIE, deceased, are defendants in this case, and who reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the division or sale of the Real Estate of Thomas LONG, dec'd on or before the division, the 20th day of May 1847, or their consent to the same will be entered of record. D. Lesly, Ordinary. Feb. 20, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Jesse REAGIN vs. Catherine REAGIN and others

PARTITION

It appearing that Nicholas REAGIN, one of the defendants in this case,

resides without the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that he do appear and object to the sale or division of the Real Estate of Young REAGIN, dec'd, on or before the 20th day of May 1847 or his consent will be entered of record. David Lesly, Ordinary. Feb. 20, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Smallwood WITTS vs. Franklin WITTS and others

#### PARTITION

It appearing that Lucinda WEATHERFORD, Susan McCLURE, Wm. WITTS, Thomas WITTS, Williamson WITTS and William JONES and Mary his wife, defendants in this case, reside without the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the division or sale of the real estate of Stephen WITTS, dec'd, on or before the 20th of May 1857, or their consent to the same will be entered of record. D. Lesly, Ord'y. Feb. 3, 1847

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#### CITATION

State of South Carolina, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, W.W. BELCHER has applied for Letters of Administration on the estate of Philip ZIMMERMAN, dec'd. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said dec'd to appear on the 3rd Monday of March 1847 to show cause why said Administration should not be granted. This 1st day of March 1847. D. Lesly, Ordinary

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NEWSPAPER Issue of MARCH 10, 1847

#### MARRIAGES

Married on the evening of the 4th inst., by the Rev. W.P. Martin, Mr. George W. WELDIN of Anderson district to Miss Mahala, daughter of Alexander CULBERSON of Laurens district.

Married on Thursday the 14th of January last, by Rev. W.P. Martin, Mr. Edward S. NEIGHBORS to Miss Mary Ann SMITH of Laurens district.

Married on Thursday evening the 18th of February by Rev. W.P. Martin, Mr. James M. MASSEY to Miss Nancy Caroline LEE, daughter of Philip LEE, all of Anderson district.

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#### OBITUARY

DIED, at her residence near this village on the 25th ult., Mrs. Agnes E. PAUL, in the 36th year of her age. She had been an acceptable member of the M.E. church for about 20 years.

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#### CITATION

State of South Carolina, Abbeville district

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, M.O. McCASLIN has applied for Letters of Administration de bonis non, on the estate of James and Emily PENNEL, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said dec'd to appear at the Court of Ordinary on the 22nd of March at Abbeville courthouse, to show cause why said Administration should not be granted. This 8th of March 1847. David Lesly, Ordinary

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#### NOTICE

Estate of Jesse CALVERT, deceased

Notice is hereby given to the Creditors and Distributees of Jesse CALVERT, dec'd, among whom Hugh H. CALVERT, Wm. LEAK and Elizabeth his wife, and Jesse CALVERT, reside without the limits of this State; that on or before the first Saturday of June next, a settlement of the same will be made in the Ordinary Court; and that after the time specified, the Administrator will not hold himself responsible for interest on shares due the Distributees on debts. Wm. SMITH, Administrator. March 6, 1847

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#### ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Estate of Baily BARTON, deceased

Will be sold in Pickens district at the late residence of Baily Barton, dec'd, on the 23rd day of March next, thirty-three likely negroes,



consisting of men, women, boys and girls, one a good Blacksmith and one a Miller; 100 head of hogs, 10 horses, 75 head of cattle, 6 stall-fed Beeves, 2 Yoke of Oxen, 30 Sheep, 1500 bushels of corn, 10,000 bundles of fodder, 40 bushels of peas, 50 bushels of rye, 1 Still, 1 set Blacksmith tools, 1 fine set Cabinet tools, 2 four-horse wagons, 1 ox cart, 1 fine buggy, 6 fine saddles, farming tools of every description, 8 bureau's, 4 new side boards, set of new tables, a large lot of walnut, cherry, maple and pine lumber, 500 pounds of cotton, large lot of ready sawed house lumber, 10,000 new boards; besides a great number of other articles too numerous to mention.

Jane BARTON, Administratrix

P. ALEXANDER, Administrator

March 2, 1847

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Equity

Thomas M. FINLEY, Reuben J. FINLEY, Nancy A. FINLEY and T.M. FINLEY, vs. Alexander HUNTER, Nancy FINLEY, Granville H. FINLEY and others

Bill for Account, Partition, Delivery of Slaves and Relief

It appearing that Nancy FINLEY, Granville FINLEY, Isaac N. FINLEY, Robt. OAKLEY and Rhoda his wife, Ahi DECK and Polly Ann his wife, and Jane FINLEY, defendants in this case, reside without the limits of this State. It is ordered that the defendants do appear and plead, answer, or demur to the said Bill within three months from publication of this order, or a judgment Pro Confesso will be rendered against them. H.A. Jones, Court of Equity, Abbeville District, Commissioner's Office, March 6, 1847

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NEWSPAPER Issue of Wednesday, MARCH 31, 1847

MURDER OF Dr. A. BURT

The Augusta Sentinel of yesterday says: " A most aggravated murder we regret to learn, was committed upon Dr. A. BURT of Edgefield district, S.C., who resided some ten or fifteen miles above Hamburg, by one of his own negroes, yesterday morning. The circumstances as related to us are these: The Dr. attempted to chastise him for which purpose he had broken off the branch of a peach tree, with which he inflicted a few stripes, when the negro seized an axe and almost instantly killed him, notwithstanding the Dr.'s attempted escape. The negro was arrested and is in custody.

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## MARRIAGES

Married on Thursday evening the 25th inst., by Rev. Henry Bass, Mr. Andrew A. McCORD to Miss Mary E. SPEER, all of this district.

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## FOR SALE

Intending to leave the district this Fall, I offer for sale my Plantation, lying three miles south of Abbeville court house, containing two hundred and eighty acres, of which there is about one half cleared and in a fine state of cultivation. It is as good Cotton land as the district affords. Also, three and a half acres lying two miles below the court house, a fine dwelling house and lot with out buildings, all new, a very desirable situation about one mile from my plantation.

Also my house and lot in the town of Abbeville, situated on the Public Square, a large two story house with nine rooms and six fireplaces, and all of the out buildings new. Persons wishing to buy land or village property would do well to call and see me before purchasing elsewhere. Johnson RAMEY, Abbeville, March 28, 1847.

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## ESTRAY NOTICE

Tarlton P. MOSLEY brought before me an Estray, a Large Bay Horse, about sixteen hands high, fifteen years old; no brands or marks and appraised at fifteen dollars. The owner will find the horse in the possession of Mr. Mosley at his place. Thos. Thomson, Magistrate, Abbeville District, March 22, 1847

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## NOTICE TO ABSENT HEIRS

Alfred MOUNCE, Willis MOUNCE, and Michael LOWERY and Nancy his wife who reside without the limits of this State are Distributees of W.D. MOUNCE, deceased, and are hereby notified that the Administrator, R.G. GOULDING will be ready to settle their portion of the estate on or before the 18th of June 1847, and holding their money in readiness at that time. He will not be accountable for interest any longer. R.G. GOULDING, Administrator, March 18, 1847

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CITATION

South Carolina, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, John G. WILSON has applied for Letters of Administration on the estate of Alexander WILSON, dec'd; this is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said dec'd to appear in the Court of Ordinary on the 12th of April to show cause why said Administration should not be granted. This 29th of March 1847. D. Lesly, Ordinary

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